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For: AUTOMATED EQUIPMENT MANAGEMENT AND RESERVATION SYSTEM

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16 Sheet(s) of drawing (☐ formal ☒ informal) + \_\_\_ extra copies

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- ☐ An executed Declaration
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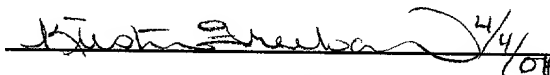
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